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Re: U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/810,981 for

A FEED FORWARD CLOCK AND DATA RECOVERY UNIT

Our Ref. No. 1406/145/2

Please find enclosed in connection with the subject U.S. patent application the following documents:

- 1. Information Disclosure Statement (2 pages);
- 2. Form PTO-1449 (1 page) in duplicate;
- 3. Copies of (4) cited references; and
- 4. A return-receipt postcard to be returned to us with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office filing stamp thereon.

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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.56, 1.97, and 1.98, applicants' undersigned attorney brings to the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office the documents listed on the attached form PTO-1449. Copies of the references as well as Form PTO-1449 are attached hereto. This is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made or that a reference is relevant merely because cited.

Early passage of the subject application to issue is earnestly solicited.

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FORM PTO-1449 U.S. Department of Commercial Attorney Docket No. 1406/145/2 Serial No. Patent and Trademark Office 10/810,981 List of Documents Cited by Applicant Applicant(s): Peter Gregorius Filing Date: March 26, 2004 **Group 2817 U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS** Filing date if Examiner Document Name Class Subclass Date **Appropriate** Initial Number 1. 06/27/2002 US 2002/ Agazzi et al. 0080898 A1 2. 10/10/2002 Cranford, JR. US 2002/ 0146084 A1 et al. FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS Name of Patentee Translation Document Date Country or Applicant Number Yes | No US National Yes 3. DE 19922807 11/25/1999 Semiconductor Corp. **Abstract Only A1** OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.) 4. German Office Action dated September 22, 2005.

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